



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Tonkin et al.  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September, 8, 2005, please enter the following amendments in the above-noted application. Applicants are also enclosing a request for a three-month extension of time from December 8, 2005 along with the requisite fee along with a Terminal Disclaimer.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this Paper.

**Remarks and Arguments** begin on page 19 of this Paper.